

Regarding the new requirement that VoIP providers should provide E911, I consider that it is the ideal solution.

I believe that the safeness of all human beings is above all, but the implementation of the E911 for VoIP will undermine their competitiveness against the ILECs, because it will mean more cost for the providers which could result in price increases for the consumer and more incomes for the ILECs, because they will be the chosen E911 wholesale provider.

I have read a lot about the VoIP, the legacy phone service and the "Duck-Test", but the Duck test does not apply in this case, as it does not apply for my girlfriend's twin sister: she looks like my girlfriend, feels like my girlfriend, walks like my girlfriend, sounds like my girlfriend, but if I kiss her, my girlfriend will kill me, because it is not her.

If it is about the safeness of the human beings we should request that every internet browser, TIVO Controller and even the toy cell phone from my little sister, which looks like a real phone, has a "911" button in case of emergencies, because during this century most of the people is much more closer to a browser or a TV controller than a telephone most of the time.

I believe that we need to think about something new instead of trying to apply the old E911 system from the old service to a new technology which is similar to the old, but it is not the same. Otherwise it will be like if in the past when the cars replaced the stagecoaches in name of the safeness the car makers would have limited the maximum car speed to 4 MPH, like a stagecoach, instead of developing a better brake and inventing the airbag.